



OFFICE OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT
CITY OF CHICAGO

July 26, 2019

Caroline Hurley
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Requestor email: 77595-63304822@requests.muckrock.com

Dear Caroline Hurley,

On behalf of the City of Chicago Office of Budget and Management, I am responding to your Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") received by the Office of Budget and Management on July 22, 2019 seeking:

Invoices, receipts, purchase orders, and any other documentation relating to the acquisition of new vehicles to be used specifically by Mayor Lori Lightfoot's security detail, dated from January 1, 2019 to the date which this request is processed."

The Office of Budget and Management does not possess records responsive to your request. Please note that each City department is a "public body" under Section 2 of FOIA, 5 ILCS 140/2(a). *See Duncan Publishing, Inc. v. City of Chicago*, 709 N.E.2d 1281, 1286 (1st Dist. 1999) ("Clearly, each of the individual departments are subsidiary bodies of the City and are 'public bodies' as defined by the FOIA.") A FOIA request must be directed to the department that maintains the records you are seeking.

To the extent that your FOIA request has been denied, you have a right of review by the Illinois Attorney General's Public Access Counselor, who can be contacted at 500 S. Second St., Springfield, IL 62706 or by telephone at (217)558-0486. You may also seek judicial review of a denial under 5 ILCS 140/11 of FOIA.

Sincerely,

Kristen Cabanban

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FOIA Officer